

## Sheriff Deputy Assaulted

A 23-year-old Grayling man was charged with felonious assault and drunk driving after allegedly attacking a deputy with a screwdriver and flashlight.

The deputy stopped to offer assistance to a man stranded in his vehicle at the railroad tracks on M-72 W. The man fled in his car and ran into a snowbank about a block away. He then fled into a store where he picked up a flashlight and screwdriver, according to a sheriff dept. report. The man reported stabbed at the deputy with the screwdriver and struck the deputy in the face with the flashlight before he was taken into custody. The deputy received minor injuries and was treated and released from Mercy Hospital. The assault took place Dec. 28 around 9:30 p.m.

In other police news, a 1979 Arctic Cat was reported stolen from the parking lot of the Frederic Inn Dec. 29 around midnight. The blue and black machine has a 340 cc engine and a registration number of CN 7521. Two breakings and enterings were also reported in cabins along Hardgrove Lake Rd. in Maple Forest. Entry was made through windows in rear doors. Anyone with information about the thefts can call the new anonymous police tip line 348-6341 ext. 3000.

## I-75 Accidents Continue

Another series of accidents turned I-75 into a parking lot busy with tow trucks Tuesday, Dec. 27, as 40 cars went into ditches during a five-hour span. Christmas Eve 50 cars were involved in accidents along I-75.

Sheriff Joe White said his deputies practically lived out on I-75 during the holidays assisting motorists. Ice was the main reason for accidents Tuesday, but deputies said motorists were driving too fast for road conditions.

On Thursday, Dec. 29, sheriff deputies said a Grayling man, Gary Willoughby, saved his own life with his quick reactions. At 6:46 p.m. Willoughby ran into a semi-truck trying to get out of a ditch near M-72 East and Barker Lake Rd. The Ohio truck driver was issued a citation for not having any lights on. Sheriff deputies said only Willoughby's quick reflexes in slowing his vehicle quickly before striking the semi-truck saved his life.

A South Branch cabin owned by John Bills, of Saginaw, was destroyed by fire Dec. 29. Jack Sheppard, South Branch Fire Dept. Chief, said he saw flames above the trees when he responded to the fire call about 2:30 a.m. along Fletcher Rd.

## Cheese To Be Issued Jan. 5th

U.S.D.A. Surplus Cheese will be given out Thursday, Jan. 5, 1984, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Center, 308 Lawndale, in Grayling.

Certification Cards, valid for one year, are required by NEMSCA for persons to receive the cheese. Certification Cards are issued the 2nd Monday of every month, 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., at the Center. Income guidelines range from \$8075 per year for a one-person household to \$12,375 for a four-person household, and proof of income is required. Food Stamp recipients will receive their cards through the D.S.S.

## Clear Snow and Ice For Letter Carrier, Grayling Postmaster Requests

Grayling Postmaster, James W. Baker, today called on businesses and residents to help reduce the high incidence of slips, trips, and falls by letter carriers due to snow and ice.

"Your cooperation in clearing and salting or sanding the stairway and pathway to your mail receptacle will be deeply appreciated," Postmaster Baker said. "We want to keep our carriers on their feet so that they can continue to deliver the mail."

Emphasizing the seriousness of the problem, he said slips, trips, and falls rank as the number one cause of injury to postal workers. He said letter carriers will make every effort to deliver mail, but if the approach to a letter box is obstructed by snow and ice, delivery may not be possible.

## Hanson Park Ski Classes Begin

Downhill and cross-country ski classes will start at Hanson Park Jan. 7-9, announced park manager Howard Taylor.

A Kid's Beginning Class will begin Saturday, Jan. 7, and run for six weeks. A \$25 fee includes equipment, two hours of instruction from 9-11 a.m., and one hour of free skiing each week.

A Kid's Intermediate Class will also start Jan. 7 for six weeks. A \$25 fee includes equipment, two hours of instruction from 4-6 p.m., plus one free hour of skiing each week.

An Adult Downhill Class will start Monday, Jan. 9, for six weeks. A \$30 fee includes equipment, two hours of instruction from 7-9 p.m., and one hour of free skiing each week.

An Adult Cross-Country Class also begins Monday, Jan. 9, for four weeks. A \$20 fee includes equipment, two hours of instruction from 7-9 p.m., and one hour of free skiing each week.

A Kid's Race Clinic will start Sunday, Jan. 7, from 2-4 p.m. The clinic will run for six weeks and the fee is \$30.

## Cabaret Singer at Kirtland

Kirtland Community College's Performing Artist Series presents cabaret singer Constance Barron performing her own show entitled "A Time for Singing: featuring songs from the Twenties" at 8 p.m. on January 21 at the Kirtland Auditorium. Tickets are \$5 and \$4 for students/senior citizens and are available at the usual outlets or by calling the college at 517-275-5121.

## Range Firing Conducted

Range firing will be conducted at Camp Grayling during the period 4 Jan 84 thru 11 Jan 84.

The Small Arms Ranges located west of Lake Margrethe, north of Howe Rd, east of the gas pipeline and south of Portage Creek. Firing will begin at 4 Jan 84 and cease at 11 Jan 84.

The Range 40 Complex located north of County Rd 612, east of Guthrie Lake, south of Old State Rd 618 and west of County Rd F97 (Twin Bridge Rd). Firing will begin at 9:00 AM (Daily) and cease at 5:00 PM (Daily).

The ranges will be closed to the public during these periods and all persons are warned to keep out of the areas identified.

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## Our Weather

(Courtesy of Chuck Fleck)

Dec.	Lo	Hi	Snow Depth
27	20	14	18.0
28	21	15	22.0
29	15	-5	23.0
30	18	-3	22.0
31	22	9	21.5
Jan. 1	22	15	21.0
2	27	17	20.0



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**NEW YEAR'S BABY** - The New Years baby for Crawford County was born Jan. 1, at 10:09 p.m., to Mr. and Mrs. Jay Webber, of Johannesburg. Joel Ray Webber, born at Grayling Mercy Hospital, weighed seven pounds, six ounces, and was 19 inches long. Joel was born in the birthing room at Mercy Hospital, where his mother and father reported, "it was really a great experience." The attending physician was Dr. Charles Russo. (Adam's Photography).

## Lawsuit Filed Over Area K mart Project

By Jon Thompson

The Crawford County Economic Development Corporation board and the county board of commissioners are being sued by John Kraus for alleged violations in issuing EDC bonds for a Grayling K mart project.

The suit was filed in circuit court at the Crawford

County courthouse Tuesday, Jan. 3, by attorney William Carey, representing Kraus. Carey had sent a letter to both boards Dec. 13 stating a lawsuit would be filed immediately if violations of procedures for adopting the K mart project were not corrected.

In a letter to the EDC board chairman Charles Pick, attorney William Carey said violations of procedures for adopting the K mart project occurred in six areas.

The letter says Kraus contends the most important procedure violated was giving proper notice to members of the public at large and property owners within the proposed project area.

Carey also lists five other areas of alleged violations:

the EDC failed to create and define a project area; the EDC did not have the correct number of county employees or officers on the EDC board; some EDC board members had a direct interest in the K mart project yet participated in the project; the EDC did not inquire or certify that the project will not transfer more than 20 full-time employees from another municipality in Michigan to Grayling, and the K mart project plan did not contain all the information needed by county commissioners to evaluate the project.

The lawsuit asks the EDC board to show cause why a preliminary injunction shouldn't be issued to halt the K mart project. No hearing date on the lawsuit was set.

## 10 Miss Grayling Contestants Start Busy Preparations

There will be no time to be bored during the next month for the ten Miss Grayling contestants. January 2nd will start their activities as they attend a get-acquainted tea at the home of Norma Naour, Pageant Director. The girls will get a thorough orientation and get to know their pageant Mom's. They will receive a schedule of events that leaves them very little free time.

However, it isn't all work. Along with twice-a-week dance rehearsals, make-up, nail care, and hair-styling workshops, and exercise sessions, there will be sledding parties, and a swimming-movie-popcorn party at the Hospitality House. They will also attend a special Sunday Tea at the

home of Dr. and Mrs. Ralph Hoffman, who have graciously agreed to open their home to the girls.

The week of January 23rd to 28th will mean rehearsal every night as they put the finishing touches on the pageant for Saturday, January 28th. Finally, the big night arrives and it's "Show Time". Mrs. Naour commented, "It's wonderful how everyone in Grayling cooperates with the pageant. All the people who volunteer their time and services, the businesses who help us out with donations of money, food, drinks and entertainment. Without this kind of cooperation we would be unable to provide the scholarships and would find it difficult to make the pageant better each year."

Two projects were underway at Camp Grayling during 1983 — a \$2.2 million supply building and a \$2.2 million ammunition depot. Two major projects were completed during 1983, the Grayling Health Care Center and an 18-unit senior housing building. Most projects held groundbreaking and Open House ceremonies during 1983.

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## Ambulance Service Hurt By Non-Paying Patients

By Jon Thompson

More than 40 percent of the persons using Crawford County's ambulances are not paying for the service putting the operation in the red.

Ambulance Corps director Tony Dorémire will be meeting with Grayling Mercy Hospital administrators, who have offered to try to help the county cut down on the non-payment percentage which has averaged 40 percent the last two years.

The Sheriff Dept. clerk who handles the ambulance billings has also recently attended a workshop to learn more about collecting fees through insurance companies and government assistance programs.

The Crawford County Board of Commissioners are also considering rate increases. Currently, Crawford County charges \$35 a base fee for an emergency run with a \$1.50 a loaded mile additional charge. Board chairperson Jeannette Kitchen said our county charges the lowest rate around. Sheriff Joe White said Roscommon County charges \$65 for a base fee and \$2 a loaded mile.

Crawford County places \$10 from each ambulance run payment into a special fund to purchase ambulances. The special fund had only about \$20,000 in it of the approximately \$35,000 needed to buy a new ambulance in April.

"People should know that by not paying their ambulance bill they're jeopardizing ambulance services," Kitchen said. In other board news from their Dec. 29 regular meeting,

the commissioners supported a resolution from the Ogemaw County commissioners opposing a proposed \$120 fee assessed on all railroad crossings. The Detroit & Mackinac Railroad in cooperation with the Michigan Dept. of Transportation is proposing a \$120 yearly fee be assessed for all railroad crossings.

Crawford County commissioners oppose the idea because the crossings have been considered public access for years and there are a lot of both public and private crossings in Crawford County. Commissioner Don Welser also warned that the \$120 yearly fee would probably be pushed up to \$500 within two or three years if they were allowed to start assessing fees.

In law enforcement news, Sheriff White presented commissioners with an option to lease new patrol cars. Most of the sheriff patrol cars have more than 100,000 miles on them, but the county is hard pressed for money and over the limit for the amount they can legally borrow to finance purchases. White said David Sabin, the assistant prosecutor, felt the one-year lease proposal would not be considered borrowing.

The lease proposal would give the sheriff dept. six new cars for one year for \$23,500. If the county wishes to lease the cars again for two more yearly contracts, the cars would then be sold to the county for \$1. Sheriff White said the lease arrangement will reduce maintenance expenses, improve fuel economy, and provide safe patrol vehicles.

## Hiring Freeze Will Reduce Police Force

By Jon Thompson

A county freeze on all new hiring will leave the Sheriff Dept. a deputy short of their current staff after Jan. 13.

Sheriff Joe White asked county commissioners at their regular meeting Dec. 29 about replacing a deputy leaving Jan. 13, and the board of commissioners did not act to change their freeze order.

"What can you do when you don't have any money," said commissioner Mary Harland. "The economy is forcing us to stop spending."

Commissioner Don Welser said it doesn't make any sense to make a motion one week and turn around to

change it the next week.

White said he realizes there's only so much money, but over Christmas weekend more than 250 people were stranded on I-75 and someone has to help these people.

"This isn't a business where you can just shut your lights off and say 'sorry, we're closed,'" he said.

The sheriff department currently has ten road officers, one marine and snowmobile officer, one detective, an undersheriff, and sheriff. Everyday usually seven road officers work - two from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., three from 4 p.m. to midnight, and two from midnight to 8 a.m. In 1982, the

sheriff dept. spent \$17,000 for overtime.

White said his department still is reduced by lay-offs a few years ago, and can not absorb another loss of a deputy with a large encampment of national guard expected this year. The freeze calls for no new hiring until August.

White also told commissioners the freeze on wage increases isn't fair for non-union personnel. A recent raise to five union command officers in the sheriff dept. puts their base salary \$1800 higher than the undersheriff, who's been with the department since 1965 but is placed under the wage freeze order.

## Growth Continues Rapidly in Area

By Jon Thompson

Five new major construction projects topped the economy news in Crawford County during 1983.

The most expensive project started was an \$11 million Shell oil and gas central production plant located north of Frederic. Ground-breaking began in 1983 and most of the construction is expected to be finished in 1984.

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\$2.7 million K mart store to be built along the I-75 business loop.

Crawford County also had more major road projects in 1983 than in any previous year. Long stretches of I-75 and U.S. 27 were resurfaced, M-72 East and West were improved, miles of county roads were resurfaced, and another major city block program was completed.

In addition to the major construction projects, on the plus side of economic news was Weyerhaeuser adding a fourth shift to its \$60 million plant. The Weyerhaeuser

Foundation made local news as well by donating \$15,600 to local schools for micro-computers, programs, and physical education equipment. The Weyerhaeuser Foundation also donated \$7000 to the Crawford AuSable Day Care Center.

On the bad side of the economy, Crawford County expected a \$57,000 deficit in their 1983 budget, and county commissioners froze raises and hiring until August, 1984. A deficit at the Grayling McNamara Airport also closed operations at the airport for five weekends during August.



**SOARING** - A skier at Hanson Park takes off a jump to fly high above the ground on his way down the slope. Park manager Howard Taylor said Dec. 28 and 30 were the two busiest days at the ski lodge in three years.



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Whitney Madsen

## From Our Corner...



We finally made it...that is to Traverse City for Christmas on New Year's weekend...we did find out one thing though, all one needs is a decorated Christmas tree in a corner, a multitude of gayly wrapped packages, a couple of young children and you can have Christmas in July and still have all the excitement and gaiety that comes on Christmas morning in the feeling of giving as the three wise men gave over 2000 years ago...we know for a fact...it happened to us this past weekend with T.J. and Stefany...a snowstorm kept us away from T.C. on Christmas weekend but, this weekend was different, beautiful winter weather made our trip without incident...we also have the feeling of knowing that the young ones are growing up because T.J. and Stefany could hardly wait New Year's day for grandma and I to leave so their Dad could take them ice skating...but then, we try to remember back to when we were young, and that takes a good memory...

Man, do we have pie on our face...the gremlins are always around a newspaper, and they seem to multiply during Christmas and New Years plus other holidays that cut working days out of the normal routine of putting the paper out...this past Christmas week paper and the New Years paper that was for the December 29th issue had the same booboo...the gremlins worked overtime...we refer to the two notices on the front page of the different businesses and government offices that would be closed on December 26 a Monday, and January 2nd, also a Monday...in both issues we inadvertently left out the Grayling Branch of the Gaylord State Bank being closed on the 26th and the 2nd along with the others that were closed...our sincere apologies to the officers of the Gaylord Bank and Gary Rousseau, Manager of the Grayling office which is located on I-75 Business Loop North, just North of the City Limits of Grayling...if we could, we would fire the gremlins...

The amount of snow that was dumped on our little hamlet in the past couple weeks and the way the crew who works for the Department of Public Works for the City of Grayling deserve a Tip of the Derby from the ol' fella's Corner and a slap on the back from the residents of our hamlet the way they took care of plowing the side streets and the way they handled the removal of the snow in the downtown area...for a while the way the snow was piling up we could hardly see our second office...fellas, you need to be commended...you made it easy for our tourists to get around while they were here for the Christmas — New Years break...

We have been such a good boy for this past year that last Saturday in T.C. while the girls were out shopping and John was having a couple of cardiac arrests during the Lions-49'ers game we were trying to come up with something that I should resolve to give up for 1984...it came to us while we were nibbling on Toni's Christmas present of a jar of cashews, and the fact we had one at home, we would give up eating cashews after the jar I have is finished...about the only other thing I could think of to give up was "girl watching" and at my age we are definitely not going to give that up...

We came back from T.C. early Sunday so we could work on this turkey and get it finished so Rena can set it Monday...she is going to be gone Tuesday as her number two son, Morgan, is going to have surgery in T.C. that day...

Due to our early deadline for this week's turkey all of our faithful readers will have to wait a week to find out if we smiled gold, or cried blue following the Sugar Bowl with Bo's boys against the Auburn Tigers...

We're going to call a halt to this week's efforts, and bid T.J., Stefany and Amber goodnight, and to all of our readers have a nice weekend, and if you are a winter sports fan you should be happy...there is enough of that white stuff for everyone...

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## Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

23 Years Ago  
January 5, 1961

The Underground Forest All Stars came up with another victory on Thursday night, December 29 when they took the measure of a fine West Branch aggregation 74 to 68. West Branch held a 36 to 34 margin over the All Stars at intermission time. The All Stars battled back in the second half to overcome the Branchers two point edge and add a victory margin of 6 points.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Papendick and daughter Dana of Mt. Morris spent the New Years weekend in Grayling visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nelson are pleased to announce the birth of a son, William Earl, on November 27th.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitey Madsen, Toni and Dane spent Christmas visiting his brother, Svend Madsen and family.

The LeRoy Papendick family spent four days in Detroit as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Overly and visited other relatives and over night in Flint at the Richard Millers enroute home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Carlson entertained Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Root and family over the New Years weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Papendick spent Sunday in Traverse City with her brother Ed Newell and family, and also called on her sister, Mrs. Max Wells, at Fife Lake. Miss Carole Gross entertained seventeen friends at a combined watch and birthday party at her home New Year's Eve, Carole's sixteenth birthday to be on January 7th.

The Larry Ponds are spending some time here with his parents, the Gordon Ponds as Larry has been transferred from Britton to Clare for the present.

Arnold Stancil was host to a group of his friends at a sleigh ride party last Friday evening and a dinner at Wert's Lone Pine Inn.

Mrs. Ruth Caid returned home Saturday, after spending a few days with her son and family at Houghton Lake.

Sylvia, Tommy, Stevie and Yvonne Douglas spent a few days of their vacation with their aunt Miss Margaret Douglas.

The Vic Papendicks and children of Waukegan, Ill., spent Christmas here with her folks, the Elroy Barbers.

Members of the Dr. Arnold Rotermund family of Breckenridge spent the holidays at the Rotermund home on Lake Margrethe.

Miss Margaret Douglas spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Douglas and family.

46 Years Ago

January 6, 1938

Miss Ann Brady and Bartlund Eldridge spent Monday in Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Roberts and daughters Dorothy and Patricia enjoyed New Year's in Saginaw.

An eleven pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Lovely on December 21st. His name is Gerald Dennis and he is the seventh child born to Mr. and Mrs. Lovely.

Mr. and Mrs. William Blanchard of Flint is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hoesli.

Mr. and Mrs. Holger Hanson of Saginaw

visited relatives and friends here over New Years.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Smith and baby of Pontiac are here visiting Mr. Smith's mother, Mrs. Fred Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Nash and son & George Ansbom returned to their home in Saginaw Monday after spending two weeks here visiting Mrs. Laurel Parker and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lovely and daughter enjoyed New Years visiting Mrs. Lovely's parents in Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wahlstrom entertained the members of the Frank Ahman family at their home on New Year's Eve. Mr. and Mrs. James Richardson of Roscommon came to be present at the watch party.

Ronnie Larson of Grayling spent several days last week visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Burke.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis McClellan and children of Walled Lake spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. George Horton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Bond and children have returned after spending the holiday season with Mrs. Bond's parents in Olivet.

69 Years Ago

January 7, 1915

United in marriage New Year's Eve, Miss Laura London of this city and Mr. Arthur W. Parker of Beaver Creek, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. F. R. Deckrow.

Miss Sena Sorenson returned to her home in Greenville after a visit here with Miss Johanna Hendrickson.

Miss Icie Milnes left Friday for Saginaw for a several days visit with her friend, Mrs. Vern Beetle.

The Messrs. Chris Olsen, Oscar Rasmussen and Carl J. Rasmussen of this city left Monday afternoon for Big Rapids to enter Ferris Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Welsh of Reed City have moved here and are living in the Robert Reagan residence on Michigan Avenue. Mrs. Reagan left Monday afternoon for Owosso to join her husband.

Grandma Barber of Frederic has taken her feather bed and gone to Traverse City to spend the winter. We all miss her. She is in her 85th year and as spry as anyone.

Tony Nelson left last Monday for Lansing, where he will take an eight weeks course in agriculture, at the agriculture college.

Attorney Merle Nellist of Roscommon was a caller here today. Mr. Nellist practiced law in Virginia for two years. He has just opened a law office in Roscommon.

Cesarean

## Parents Group

The Grayling Cesarean Parents Support Group will not hold its regular January meeting.

Persons interested in joining the group or seeking support or information on Cesarean birth, please contact Barbara Luebke 348-9643, Anne Farnsworth 348-8395 or Barb Hunter 348-9306 any time.

Members will be available to provide sources of information on the Cesarean birth process, post-natal care and vaginal birth after a Cesarean or just to listen. Plans for future meetings will be announced.

## The Bible Speaks

From Calvary Baptist Church

### THE TRIUNE GOD

I John 5:7

"For there are three that bear record in heaven, the Father, the Word, and the Holy Ghost: and these three are one." I John 5:7. This verse which so clearly teaches the divine trinity, is the most hated, slandered and abused verse in the Bible. Satan hates it because it clearly places our Lord Jesus Christ in the exalted position he desires. The cults and liberals hate it because they do not want to recognize Jesus Christ as God. The printers of new Bibles omit this verse more frequently than any other verse.

The history of this sacred scripture even predates the oldest Bible manuscripts used to cast doubt upon it. Cyprian of Carthage wrote in 250 A.D., "And again concerning the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit it is written: and the Three are One." Although the trinity is taught in dozens of verses, only I John 5:7 makes that clear statement quoted by Cyprian as scripture. There is much evidence from the 4th and 5th centuries for support. It is quoted by many church fathers. It is contained in the Old Latin text of scriptures.

The Roman Catholic church dropped I John 5:7 by adopting Jerome's Latin Vulgate in the 4th century. They added it back to the Bible around 800 A.D. It is my understanding that in some of the new Catholic Bibles, it is again dropped or discredited.

Early century heresies were probably responsible

for the removal of I John 5:7 from many early manuscripts. Sabellianism denied the distinct separate identity of 3 persons in the Godhead. Later, Arianism denied that Jesus Christ is God, but insisted He was only a created being like the angels. Although Arianism was stamped out by the 6th century, it has been revived in the 20th century by the Watch Tower Bible & Tract Society, or Jehovah Witnesses. Their Bible is based upon Arian influenced manuscripts, just as many of the other new Bible versions are.

By divine providential preservation, the reformation was sparked by the use of Bibles which exalted I John 5:7 as divine scripture. During 19th century Rationalism, Westcott and Hort used naturalistic reasoning to deny the authority of this verse. Modern protestant scholarship has followed their leadership and omitted the verse from the new Bibles.

Personally, I would as soon abandon the entire Bible as reject the divine authority of I John 5:7. It is pure truth. The contest is incomplete without it. It is necessary for grammatical regularity. It supports the theological consensus of the doctrine of Christ, that He is truly God. Finally, the Holy Spirit bears witness with my spirit that I John 5:7 is the very inspired Word of God. (Adv.)

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### EMPLOYMENT-PERSONAL INCOME

During the first half of 1983 there was only a minuscule downward shading in the unemployment rate. This was a point of vocal discontent among the jobless and the Administration's critics. The unemployment rate was, and still is, serious indeed, but those who equated the painstakingly slow improvement with an emaciated economy blithely overlooked the healthy, unmistakable uptrend in nonfarm employment totals, month after month. Babson's foresees a continuation of the favorable employment climate. Look for nonfarm employment to move higher in 1984 on the strength of a broader roster of industries sharing in the economy's expansion. However, it will be difficult to duplicate the sparkling performance in which substantive and virtually uninterrupted monthly employment gains were racked up in 1983. The encouraging, and surprisingly distinct, reduction in the jobless rate over the second half of 1983 also will be difficult to repeat in 1984. However, some downward shading is likely, and the unemployment rate will average 7½%.

High levels of employment and expected wage hikes should enable personal income to trend higher in 1984. Indeed, Babson's expectation is that the year-to-year gains in personal income will average higher than the achievements of 1983. Moreover, with the final part of the three-stage federal income tax cut for individuals in effect for full 1984 — versus only a half year in 1983 — the advance in take-home pay will be even more substantive. However, there is some question as to the degree of betterment in real buying power, as inflation is currently expected to be up at least moderately in 1984. Nevertheless, personal income should be a plus for consumer confidence.

### CONSUMER AND GOVERNMENT SPENDING

Although spotty at times early in the year, retail trade was a vital force helping to lift the economy in 1983. The superb Christmas selling season mirrored heightened consumer confidence. While some of the pent-up demand was satiated during the past year's buying, the optimistic personal income-employment scenario we envision for 1984 will be more than equal to the task of boosting retail trade 10% over 1983.

Another source of vitality for the economy in 1984 will be government expenditures. An important aspect will be outlays for defense, which will spur demand for manpower and raw materials. But there will be increased expenditures for a wide range of basic services at the federal level also.

### CORPORATE PROFITS — DIVIDENDS

The strong business recovery produced a snapback in corporate profits in 1983. However, benefits of cost-cutting and productivity-enhancement programs initiated during the recession heightened profitability, enabling the past year to rack up an estimated 15% gain in corporate profits after taxes. We forecast an even more impressive advance in net corporate profits — up as much as 25% in 1984. Babson's forecast is for more liberal dividend disbursements in 1984. There will be instances of dividend hikes and extras over the year ahead.

### FARM OUTLOOK

The nation's farm sector is still deeply beset by problems. However, a ray of light did appear in some sectors in 1983. With some easing in the ultra-strong U.S. dollar likely in 1984, slightly better farm exports could develop. This could nudge overall farm prices somewhat higher and make for further moderate recovery in farm incomes. But many farmers are still in deep financial trouble, and farm surpluses remain burdensome despite 1983's disastrous crop output.

### INFLATION — PRICES

Despite the strong business recovery, inflation remained very tolerable and of the "creeping" variety in 1983. There were only upward shadings early on, but the trend bent more noticeably upward later in the year. However, brisker demand ranging from raw materials to finished goods is bound to spawn a wider array of price markups and boosts in costs over the coming year. Babson's predicts that monthly advances in the Consumer Price Index will average around 5½% in 1984, less commendable than in 1983, but of only moderate intensity.

Still generally adequate supplies of materials and productive capacity will prevent runaway industrial prices in 1984, but quotes will be higher. Although key farm carryovers are still burdensome, the effects of the drought last summer presage hikes of varying degree in agricultural and food prices (particularly livestock and meat).

### INTEREST RATES — MONEY & CREDIT

Early 1984 months, and perhaps to midyear, could see some slippage in short-term interest rates of around 1½-2%, but look for a flip back thereafter. Overall, not much change in either short- or long-term rates. Babson's expects the Federal Reserve to continue to balance its monetary policy between reasonable business credit needs and keeping the lid on inflationary pressures, a course dictated by prospects of substantial federal budget deficits in coming years.

### FOREIGN AFFAIRS

1983 was a touchy year for the U.S. on the foreign affairs front. While Babson's foresees some modest easing of tensions, the numerous sectors of raw sensitivity abroad render dramatic betterment unlikely. Recently chilled U.S.-Soviet relations are not likely to degenerate into an open break, but commencement of serious talks on nuclear and conventional arms limitation reduction must also be viewed as remote. There will be improvement in foreign trade, but in view of the languid economic recovery abroad, progress in this arena may also be only moderate. The task of materially lifting American exports is exacerbated by the strong dollar, but this factor could at least ease somewhat in 1984.

### STOCK AND BOND OUTLOOK

Despite an advance of more than 250 points on the Dow Jones industrial average during 1983, the stock market was sluggish at times and beset by strong crosscurrents. Over much of the year investors worried about the possible effects of looming massive federal deficits. Nevertheless, the stock market did advance into new high ground with plenty of room to spare. The DJIA paraded past the 1200 mark and near year's end had the 1300 level dead in sight. What can the market do for an encore in 1984? Basically, Babson's Reports is still optimistic over prospects for the year ahead. At this point, it is premature to think in terms of an imminent reversal of the uptrend which began in August of 1982. Babson's feels that there is still significant headway to be made over the year ahead. For the record, our forecast is for stock prices to trend higher in 1984 with the Dow Jones industrial average fluctuating between 1150 on the lower end of the year's range and 1450 on the upside. If stronger than currently expected momentum develops, the DJIA could even be thrust into the 1500 area. An important premise for our optimism is the forecast that corporate profits will be heightened by expectations that corporate profits will experience signal betterment quantitatively and qualitatively. A strong re-election bid by President Reagan and reasonably well-confined levels of inflation and interest rates are also central to sustained investor confidence.

Thus, Babson's recommends adhering to an investment policy which is primarily optimistic. Investors can still find good values for growth, capital appreciation, and income to build and augment investment portfolios suitable for individual requirements. The bond market is not expected to experience material change in the year ahead.

### Thanks

A hearty thanks to the people responsible for opening the Crawford County Historical Museum on Sunday, December 18, 1983.

I appreciate the help of the volunteers from the R.S.V.P. office who were at the museum.

The Michigan Consolidated Gas Company was very cooperative about turning the gas on and off at the Crawford County Historical Museum so the place could be heated.

It was an opportunity for some of the Grayling resi-

dents to visit the museum for the first time since it was opened many years ago.

I spent four hours at the museum on Sunday afternoon, December 18, 1983, visiting with many people and was not surprised to hear some people say, "This is my first time in here."

We hope to open the Crawford County Historical Museum on Memorial Day weekend in 1984.

See you there next summer.

Elmer L. Fenton  
President, Crawford Co. Historical Society

## Grayling Archery Club Elect New Officers

Officers for the 1983-84 year were elected. Serving as President is Jim Dannenberg, Executive Vice-President, Gary Piper; Secretary, Don Denton and Treasurer, Larry Ostrowski.

Other new officers elected for the year are Steve Perry, Vice-President/Public Relations; Kathie Piper, Vice-President/Membership and Chuck Thompson, Vice-President/Club Affairs. Chuck, of Houghton Lake, also serves as the President of the Straits Field Archery Association, the Regional contingent of the Michigan Archers Association. Fred Bear, and Ralph Stevens of Grayling, shall continue to serve as Life Members/Trustees. Ralph, and Dale Burpee of Grayling represent the Straits Field Archery Association as delegates to the Board of Directors of the Michigan Archers Association. Ralph also serves as a Life Member of the Michigan Archers Association. Dennis Freese will serve as League Secretary.

The Grayling Archery Club is now open for "Winter League" with shooting starting at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday evenings. Team Sponsors are welcome! Again the Club will be the site for numerous Straits Field Archery Association (SFAA) shoots. The next indoor SFAA shoot will be on January 8, 1984. Sign in is at 8:30 a.m. and shooting time at 9:00 a.m. Results of the tournaments and future

### Masons To Meet

On January 5, 1984, there will be a regular communication of Grayling Lodge #356 F. & A.M.

There will be a Spaghetti dinner and dessert before the meeting. This dinner is open to the public and serving will be from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. Donations will be \$3.00 per person.

Lodge opens at 7:30 p.m. and we would like to have a good turn out, as it is possible that we might have a fellow craft degree this night.

Daile A. Peterson P.M.

### Lovells News

By Ruth Caid

Mrs. Joannie Erb and family visited relatives in Posen.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wingeier entertained several friends at their home Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stalker and son's of Saline, spent a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Bill Koernke.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Mead of Gaylord visited Mrs. Ruth Caid on Sunday.

Cheerful Givers Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Vi Wingeier on Thursday evening at 6:30. Please bring a prize for games.

The first card party of the winter will be on Saturday, January 7th with potluck supper at 6:30. Anyone who enjoys playing cards are welcome.

Mrs. Jerry Coulter is a patient at Osego Memorial Hospital, her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Thorpe and son Bryan of Detroit, spent the New Year's holiday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Woody Muriel.

Tom Morris is a patient at Mercy Hospital. His many friends extend their best wishes.

### Women's Club To Meet

The Christian Women's Club of Houghton Lake and the surrounding communities will hold their January luncheon at Tommy's Dry Dock, on M-18 South, Tuesday, January 10, 1984, from 12:30-2:30 p.m. The cost of the luncheon is \$4.00.

Nursery care will be provided for the luncheon at the All Saints Episcopal Church, 1500 W. Houghton Lake Drive, Prudenville. Reservations for the children are necessary.

For the luncheon and the nursery reservations, please call Louise Hammond 422-5489 or Dolores Peckham 821-9317. Reservations are necessary by January 6, 1984 and cancellations are essential. Late reservations are accepted.

shoots will be announced. Persons wishing more information on the SFAA should contact: Cynde Thompson, Secretary-Treasurer, P.O. Box 398, Houghton Lake, MI. 48629, or call 517/366-8471.

Besides the SFAA tournaments, the Club also hosts Michigan Archers Association Championships. In addition to adult shooting, the Club Sponsors the Junior Olympic Archery Development Program (JOAD) for youth of the area. This program is held on Tuesday evenings from 6-8:00 p.m. at the Club. Youth are encouraged to participate in the program. For further information contact: Gerry or Cathy Timmins at 348-5016.

Archery is a family sport with numerous divisions and target shooting styles, ranging from youth Barebow to Pro Freestyle. Divisions are broken down by class, age, and sex for each tournament. It is both an indoor and outdoor sport.

The Grayling Archery Club is open to the public and encourages members of the community to participate in its activities, whether it is as a league team member, JOAD archer, or tournament shooter. For more information on the Grayling Archery Club contact: Club Treasurer, Larry Ostrowski at 517/348-5477.

### Ski Club To Meet

AuSable Valley Nordic Ski Club (AVNSC) will meet Wednesday, January 11 at 7:30 at the Ralph McMullen Conference Center.

### Mercy Hospital

#### Auxiliary News

Start this new year of 1984 by becoming an auxilian. Dues are very nominal—the work is varied and you will feel so good because you will be helping others.

Our January business meeting will take place on Thursday the 12th at 1 p.m. in the basement meeting room in the County Building.

The board meeting will take place at 10:00 a.m. the same day in the conference room at Mercy Hospital. Delay no longer - become one of us - attend the business meeting - assist us in the work of the Mercy Hospital Auxiliary.

Rosalie Matyn

### Thursday Services for Amy Gothro, 94

Amy R. Gothro, 94, of Grayling, passed away at Mercy Hospital on Tuesday, December 27, 1983.

Funeral services were held Thursday at 1:00 p.m. at Sorenson Funeral Home, with the Rev. Jeffery Regan officiating. Burial was in Elmwood Cemetery.

She was born February 20, 1889 to Noah and Ellen (Nesbit) Hennigar in Oscoda, Mich.

Mrs. Gothro has resided in Grayling for 68 years and was a member of Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church, American Legion Post #106 Auxiliary, and a member of the Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church Choir for fifty years.

She was preceded in death by her husband Herbert, son, Don, and daughter Ellen Bensinger.

Survivors include one son, Kenneth of Grayling, eight grandchildren, and twenty great grandchildren.

The family suggests Memorial Contributions be directed to the Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church.

### Services Held For Howard Huffman

Services were held Tuesday December 27, 1983 at the Steuernal funeral home, Roscommon, for Howard R. Huffman who died December 24, 1983 at Mercy hospital.

Services were conducted by Rev. Thomas Bruno and burial was in Pioneer Cemetery.

Mr. Huffman was born in Mio June 19, 1905 and was in the heavy equipment business in Roscommon.

He is survived by his wife Helen, two sons Duane, and Arlen of Roscommon, one daughter Arbutus Bryan of Clio, 13 grandchildren, 9 great grandchildren and 1 sister.

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**WINNER AT MAC'S**—Mac's Drugs pharmacist Mike McNamara hands Mary Malone her giant Christmas stocking won Friday, Dec. 23.

## KCC Courses Offered at High School

Kirtland Community College will be offering the following courses for college credit at the Grayling High School, beginning the week of January 23, 1984:

PSY 202, Abnormal Psychology, from 7 - 10 p.m. on Mondays; BUS 103, Accounting II (A.I.B.) from 6 - 10 p.m. on Tuesday; BUS 103 Accounting II (not AIB) from 6 - 10 p.m. on Tuesdays; MAT III, Intro. to Computer Programming - Basic, from 7 - 10 p.m. on Tuesdays (lab from 7 - 10 p.m. on Thursdays); PER 103, Conditioning Activities (self-defense), from 7 - 9 p.m. on Wednesdays; and ENG 104, English Composition II, from 7 - 10 p.m. on Thursdays. All classes end the week of May 14, 1984, with the exception of Abnormal Psychology, which ends on June 4.

Registration will be held January 23, 1984 at the high school, from 5 - 7 p.m. Tuition and fees are due at the time of registration. Students must also bring two proofs of residency when registering (rent receipt, tax receipt, drivers license, Secretary of State I.D. card, voters registration card).

Tuition will be assessed at \$20 per credit hour for in-district student, \$26 for out-of-district students, and \$32 for out-of-state students. Books may be purchased during registration.

For further information, call Kirtland at 517-275-5121.

### Snowmobilers Banned From Ski Area

It is unlawful to operate a snowmobile within the 26 miles of ski trails at the Hanson Park, park manager Howard Taylor reminds snow machine operators.

Taylor said Michigan law prohibits snowmobilers from driving within 100 feet of designated ski, sled, and skating areas. In addition, all the trails at Hanson Park are being posted. Taylor said the boundaries at the park off limits to snowmobilers are basically the main park area, M-93, Military Road, Four Mile Road, and the game club property.

Taylor said snowmobilers are welcome to use the main park driveway to drive to the lodge, but snowmobiles can not go beyond the parking lot.

He said the park is having problems with violators and park personnel are signing complaints with the DNR or Sheriff Dept. to have snowmobilers prosecuted.

### Snow Removal By Rural Route Customers

Since winter is near, this is to remind you that postal regulations regarding delivery of mail on rural routes require customers to keep the approach to their mailbox cleared of snow.

This will permit the rural carrier to drive up to your mailbox to deposit and to collect mail without leaving his vehicle. The approach to and the exit from the mailbox should be cleared sufficiently on both sides to allow the carrier to drive ahead and not be required to back up his vehicle after delivery.

Your cooperation in this matter during the winter season will be sincerely appreciated. If you have any questions, please contact us, Postmaster James Baker said.

### Daniels' Den

Daniels' Den reopens on Friday and Saturday, January 6th and 7th, after being closed for the Holidays.

On Friday evening, music will be recorded or consist of gathering around the piano to sing favorites and a variety of table games will be available which have proved to be very popular.

On Saturday, Mark Six and Friends will be coming over from Kalkaska to play their guitars and sing contemporary music. This will be Marks' third appearance at the Den and those who have heard him will be looking forward to his returning. Those who have not heard him, are in for a treat.

Daniels' Den is located at The Parlor, next to Dan & Maggies on the I-75 business loop and West M-72 and is open from 8:00 p.m. to 12:00 p.m. both Friday and Saturday evenings.

### SENIOR CITIZENS

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## Sturgeon Spearing Season STATEWIDE

The Natural Resources Commission, at its October 8, 1982, meeting, under the authority of sections 1 and 3 of Act No. 230, P.A. 1925, as amended, ordered that for the period beginning January 1, 1983, through March 31, 1988, it shall be unlawful to take or attempt to take sturgeon by means of spears from the inland waters of this state, except during the month of February of each year.

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## Frederic News

Senior Citizen Center in Grayling is open after a holiday vacation, and also RSVP will be open.

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Satellite dinner for Frederic and Maple Forest at the Hobby Club, Friday the 6th. On the menu is Salisbury Steak, I.P.M. with white elephant auction.

Dec. 13, Eric Hulbert celebrated his 6th birthday with some of his classmates, Erica Hinkle, Bridget Black, Desi Hebel, Nathan Weaver, Bennie Lobo, D. J. Molnar, Joey Gowlewski, and Travis and Kristy Hulbert, all had a nice time playing the games and Eric received very nice gifts. Karen Ferguson and Daniel Chaffin were over to visit the day before.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Crosby and son Brian were in Crystal Falls for the Christmas holiday to visit his sister Rev. and Mrs. Weiss and Family.

Brian and Judy Hulbert & family were to his brother Jim and family in Lake Odessa during the Christmas holiday and then to Judy's sister Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Becksoort of Hamilton for Christmas dinner with parents Pastor and Mrs. Robert Taylor and other members of the family. Home for Christmas with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Walter Desnoyers, mother, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Denno and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Sloan and family, Sheila and son Shane and Jim Hanson.

First Baptist Sunday School Christmas Program given on Dec. 18 with 150 attending. Our appreciation to Mrs. Allen, director, teachers and children for a wonderful program. Daniel Band every Tuesday night at the Frederic Elementary school.

My hat off to all of the Frederic Firemen and the Hobby Club for their Christmas spirit to the Senior Citizens and at the homes Timberview Manor and Commons. Also to the ladies of the Lovells club who every Friday have bingo for the home. These people really enjoy themselves.

Thank you, Eva Hulbert

## Bits . . . . . by Fay

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Greka (nee Patricia Nethers) of Greensboro, North Carolina, are happy to announce the birth of their son, Evan Louis. He was born on December 21, 1983. Grandparents are former Grayling residents, Ivan and Kate Nethers, now of Shepherd. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Louis Greka of Novi.

Dr. and Mrs. O. W. Hayes (nee Debbie Nethers) and two-year-old Emily, of Lansing, spent the New Year's weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Hayes. He is completing his residency in Emergency at Sparrow Hospital and starting July 1 will assume a teaching position at MSU's School of Medicine.

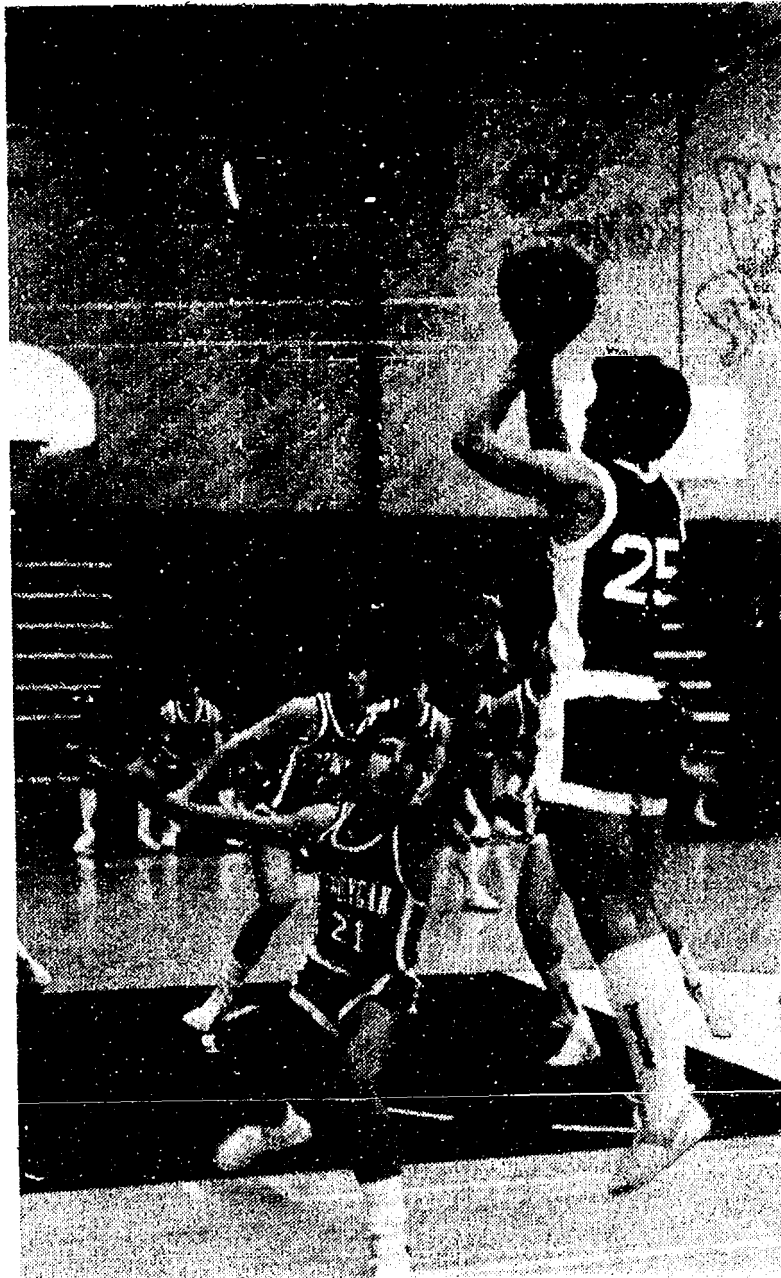
Christmas visitors at the Wes Hayes' were another son and wife, Greg and Debbie Hayes of Lansing.

Visiting John and Barb Sojka for Christmas were their children, Chris Sojka of Midland and friend, Bonnie Vaughn of Grand Rapids, Paul Sojka of W. Lafayette, Indiana, and Tanya Sojka of Detroit. Paul has received his Ph. D. in Mechanical Engineering from Michigan State and is now an assistant professor in the School of Mechanical Engineering at Purdue.

Bob and Fay Bovee and Mrs. Rosa Christenson spent four days last week at Grand Island, New York. They were joined by their family, Dena Bovee of Columbus, Ohio, and Richard, Billie and Peter Smith of Saugerties, New York. They, including 97-year-old Rosa, enjoyed a visit to Niagara Falls in the sunny, frigid weather to view the unusual ice formations in the river.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew McGuire and Eunice Schreiber for Christmas were Mr. and Mrs. John Pruchnicki and Mr. and Mrs. Leo McGuire and son of Flushing. The Bruce McGuires were Christmas dinner guests also.

## Grayling Faces Gaylord, Highly-Ranked Charlevoix



**LOVELY SHOT**—Mick Lovely hits a bank shot from the side during a league contest at the Grayling High School against Cheboygan. (Photo by Jon Thompson)

Motivation will be no problem for Grayling on the hard court as they face long-time rivals Gaylord Friday away and entertain Charlevoix, ranked high in class C polls, next Tuesday.

The Vikings returned from the holiday break with a make-up game Jan. 3 with Rogers City.

At the holiday break Charlevoix led the Michigan Huron Shores Conference with a 4-0 mark followed by Cheboygan 3-1 and Grayling 2-1.

Cheboygan handed Grayling its first league loss Dec. 20 coming from behind to win 69-61.

The Vikings — playing their tenacious defense — blasted Cheboygan early for a 10-point lead in the first quarter and looked in control of the game.

Using ten players to keep fresh men on the court, Grayling pressed full court and ran a fast-moving offense while taking a 16-8 first quarter lead. Grayling used 12 steals the first half to go up 28-21 at the half.

The second quarter was a turning point for Cheboygan, however, as Wayne Ross and Mick Lovely — two of Grayling's best rebounders — went

out with ankle injuries.

In the third quarter, Grayling and Cheboygan went head to head in fast-paced, full-court action with Cheboygan quickly overcoming the Viking's lead.

Grayling was down by three points at the start of the fourth quarter, fell to eight points, and then mounted a comeback with two and a half minutes left.

Grayling cut the margin to two points and had the ball with twenty seconds left but lost it.

Jim Stewart and Jon Nicholas led Grayling with 10 points each. Mike Hickey tossed in 9, Rodney Patterson 8, Ross had 8 playing only half the game, Paul Hamlin added 7, Brad Naghtin 5, Gregg Burns 2, and Dave Zigilia 2.

Grayling shot 3 for 9 from the free throw line while Cheboygan converted 13 of 15. Grayling collected 21 rebounds and 12 steals in the first half and only 13 rebounds and 4 steals in the second half.

The J.V. squad lost the preliminary game to Cheboygan.

## Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
In The Circuit Court For  
The County of Crawford  
The Estate of Michael  
J. Moriarty, Plaintiff

vs.  
Margaret Moriarty,  
Katherine Moriarty, Rita  
Sterling, Jean Marshall,  
Mary Foley, Catherine  
Knight, Pat McKenna,  
Sharon McKenna Dozer,  
Walter Schafer, Lucille  
Bjarnberg, William Schafer,  
Jean Schafer, Michael  
Schafer, Ann Schafer  
Kowalczyk, Richard  
Thornton, Marie Thornton  
Clark and their unknown  
Heirs and devisees,  
Defendants

File No. 83 6756 CK  
David R. Sabin (P19822)  
Attorney for Plaintiff

## ORDER TO ANSWER

On the 14th day of December, 1983 an action was filed by the Estate of Michael J. Moriarty, against the above named Defendants in this Court to partition the following described property:

The South quarter of the Northwest quarter of the Section 13, Town 25 North, Range 3 West, containing 40 acres more or less, according to the Government Survey; all of which is situated in the Township of Beaver Creek, County of Crawford, State of Michigan.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Defendants above named, their unknown heirs and devisees shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 6th day of February, 1984. Failure to comply with this Order will result in a Judgment by default against such Defendants, their unknown heirs and devisees, for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court.

Dated: 12/28/83.  
Honorable William A. Porter  
Circuit Court Judge

David R. Sabin  
Attorney for Plaintiff  
709 Michigan Avenue  
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(517) 348-5588

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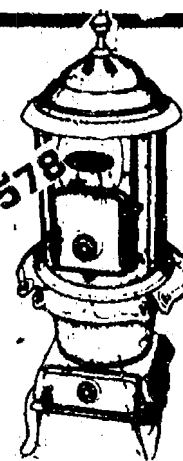
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## Michigan Mirror

### Changes Asked in Democratic Party Caucus Rules

Warren M. Hoyt, Executive Director, MPA

Michigan officials for six of the eight Democratic candidates for President have threatened to file suit if the state party fails to change its caucus rules for allocating caucus delegates, particularly provisions which preclude a secret ballot.

They argue the rules favor former Vice President Walter Mondale, whose organization was not part of the protest, because he has the solid support of party leadership.

The rules of the March 17 caucus require participants to both declare themselves to be Democrats and sign their ballots.

George Sallade, Michigan co-chair of the Michigan campaign for Colorado Sen. Gary Hart, said the secret ballot rules give party, state and union officials the means to retaliate against those who do not favor Mondale.

Without a change in the rules, he said his candidate does not stand a chance of winning in Michigan. "The cards are stacked against us."

A letter to Democratic Party Chair Rick Weiner, signed by officials from all but the Mondale and Rubin Askew committees, said the lack of a secret ballot violates due process protections.

Officials said that would be the basis of a lawsuit, if they seek to file one, if the state party refused to alter the rules and the National Compliance Review Commission also rejects their arguments.

The letter also assails the rules for failing to guard against multiple voting, failing to make adequate accommodations for all who may wish to participate and failing to control bias in operation of the caucus.

David Ettinger of the campaign of Ohio Sen. John Glenn said he hopes the Mondale organization will yet decide to join in asking the rules be changed, so the caucus is not dominated by special interests.

Sallade said the caucus rules attempt to give the caucuses the facade of a primary and thus should include primary-type systems, including the use of secret ballots.

Weiner said the candidate organi-

zations were being hypocritical because they are not challenging similar rules in other caucus states and because they did not challenge the rules when they were proposed last summer.

He suggested the Michigan rules were being challenged only because the candidates are behind and they said they would serve their causes better if they spend their time organizing their campaigns.

"I am proud of the system. It is fair, open and equitable. The bottom line is they feel they will not do very well and have chosen something to complain about," Weiner said.

#### Workfare Utility Shutoff Clears Legislature

During the final minutes of the 1983 legislative session, the Legislature completed action on a bill authorizing the expenditure of \$44.6 million for a welfare recipient education and job training program and heating assistance programs, including utility shutoff protection and weatherization.

The act, besides \$42.6 million for the Department of Social Services, allows another \$2 million for the Department of Natural Resources to begin funding the conservation corps program upon passage of separate legislation.

The bill has already cleared the House and is expected to get early action in the Senate in 1984.

The program includes \$10 million for a revamped Michigan Opportunity and Skills Training (MOST) program, an Operation Self-Reliance program at \$13.1 million for an 18-month pilot program, a \$1 million private employer incentive plan and the \$2 million for the conservation corps.

The state money being spent also allows the capture of an additional \$20.5 million in federal funds.

The utility portion authorizes \$6 million for AFDC heating shutoff protection, \$9 million for weatherization and an additional \$7.5 million for paying electric bills for heating purpose.



**LIONS PASS OUT CANDY CANES**—The Lions Club of Grayling and Santa Claus brought cheer to Mercy Hospital before Christmas by passing out candy canes to patients throughout the hospital and extended care facility.

## Dance Ensemble at Houghton Lake H.S.

Interlochen, Mi - The romance of ballet and the pizzazz of modern dance is coming to Houghton Lake's High School Auditorium in an exciting concert by the Interlochen Arts Academy Dance Ensemble. The concert, at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, January 25, 1984, is sponsored by Houghton Lake H.S. Drama Dept. with the support of the Michigan Council for the Arts. Admission is \$2.50 - Adults, \$1 Students.

The Houghton Lake appearance is part of a seven-day tour, January 22-28, which will take the young dancers to nearly a half dozen Michigan cities including Holland, Houghton Lake and Mt. Clemens. Accompanied by Academy ballet instructor Helen Earl, the group will perform in a number of school assemblies, matinees and evening concerts.

This year's tour group includes 26 dancers who come from as far away as Canada and Saudi Arabia to study at the famous fine arts Academy in northern Michigan. Among their program of original and traditional choreography are several solo, small ensemble and large group pieces with elaborate costumes, sets and music.

Past concert highlights have included such famous

ballets as "Cinderella," "Alice in Wonderland," and "The Nutcracker," and modern dances to music by the Beatles, Aaron Copland, and Lerner and Loewe.

Members of the Academy Dance Ensemble are among nearly 400 high-school-aged students who come to Interlochen from all over the world to study arts and academics at the Academy from September through May. The Academy is part of Interlochen Center for the Arts which also includes the summertime National Music Camp and the fine arts

public radio station, WIAA-FM.

For more information regarding the group's local appearance, contact Roderick M. Martin at 388-5376.

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In Block 2 from AuSable Avenue thence south easterly to the junction of an east-west alley; adjacent to Lots 12 & 13 on the northeast side and Lots 14 thru 18 on the southeast side.

Reasons for the request are that the alley has not been opened and would serve no useful purpose for the public. Also, there are existing encroachments of long standing.

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held on said request on the 13th day of January 1984 at 11:15 a.m. before the Board of Crawford County Road Commissioners in their office at 320 State Street, Grayling, Michigan.

Board of Road Commissioners of Crawford County  
G. Kraus, Chairperson  
N. Parker, Member  
G. Cason, Member

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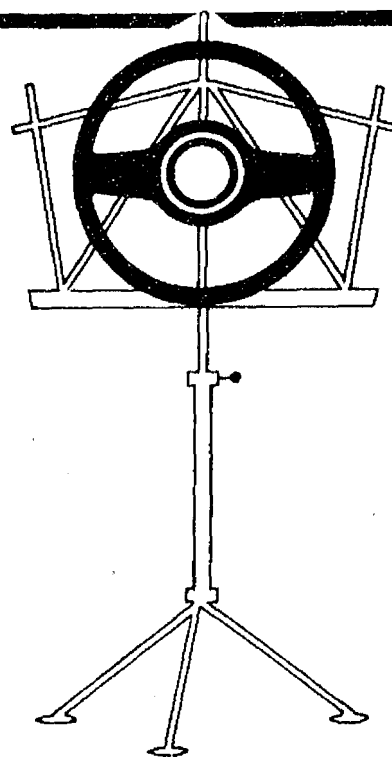
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### Cong. Albosta's Aide Here January 16th

Congressman Don Albosta has announced that his congressional staff liaison will be in Crawford County, on January 16, 1984. Hours will be 1:30-2:30 p.m. at the Crawford County Courthouse, Grayling.

Albosta said that the staff liaison is coming to this area to assist persons who have problems with the Federal government, and to give everyone an opportunity to discuss issues of concern.

Those who find they cannot come at the scheduled time, may write to Albosta's District office, 4001 US 31 South, Traverse City, MI 49684, or call the toll free action line, 1-800-292-4255.

### Senior Citizens Center Menu

Dinner reservations must be called in daily by noon - and for Friday noon meal by Thursday at 5:00 p.m. Please call 348-9314.

Mon.-Thurs., Soup & Sandwiches 11:30-12:30.

Mon.-Thurs., Dinner at 5:00 p.m.

Friday, Dinner at 12:00 Noon.

Mon., Jan. 9 - Pineapple Juice, Toss Salad, Chili/Cheese, Cauliflower, Roll, Lemon Dessert.

Tues., Jan. 10 - Orange Juice, Gingerale Salad, Beef Stroganoff, Buttered Noodles, Brussel Sprouts, Roll, Strawberries.

Wed., Jan. 11 - "Cook's Choice", Birthday Cake.

Thurs., Jan. 12 - Grape Juice, Fruit Salad, Pepper Steak on Rice, Harvard Beets, Bread, Fruit.

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### NOTICE OF HEARING

Notice is hereby given that a petition signed by freeholders of real estate within the First Addition to Portage Lake Park, Grayling Township, Crawford County, Michigan was filed with the Board of Crawford County Road Commissioners for vacation of a 15 foot alley described as follows:

In Block 3 between Beech Terrace and vacated Portage Lake Drive adjacent to Lots 1 thru 10.

Reasons for the request are that the alley has not been opened and would serve no useful purpose for the public.

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held on said request on the 13th day of January, 1984 at 11:00 a.m. before the Board of Crawford County Road Commissioners in their office at 320 State Street, Grayling, Michigan.

Board of Road Commissioners of Crawford County  
G. Kraus, Chairperson  
N. Parker, Member  
G. Cason, Member

-22-29-5-

### Elk Poacher Pleads Guilty

Lansing — Donald J. Pewinski, 33, of Johannesburg pleaded guilty Wednesday in Gaylord to killing and possessing an elk, a high misdemeanor.

Pewinski was apprehended by a Michigan conservation officer in Otsego County on Christmas Eve. The elk, a freshly killed, 14-point bull, was in his possession at the time.

Sentencing has been set for January 18 in 87th District Court, Gaylord. Pewinski faces a fine and restitution of up to \$1,200, up to 180 days in jail and could lose his hunting license and any equipment used in connection with the game law violation.

Meanwhile, the DNR continues to offer a \$1,000 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who killed four elk and left them lying in a Cheboygan County field November 18.

Anyone with information about that incident is asked to contact their nearest conservation officer or report it via the toll free RAP (Report All Poaching) hotline, 1-800-292-7800. Confidentiality will be protected.



**STUDENT OF THE MONTH NOMINEES**—Teachers at the Grayling Middle School nominated twenty students for November Student of the Month honors. Front, left to right, are Sue Casler, Flaskie Robins, Tim Hickey, GMS Principal Dale Nicholas, Kris Partello, Heather Watts, back, Debbie Barr, LeRoy Decker, Carrie Trudgeon, Brian Gribowskas, Matt Klemp, Mike Burkley, Amy Verlinde, Janet Petrosky, Margarita Perez, Melissa Howlett, Jennifer Walsh, Laura Pomeroy, Mark Kwiatkowski, and Kim Dowdy. Missing from the picture is Chris Bindschattel.

### Moose Supports Easter Seals

The Loyal Order of the Moose voted to support the Easter Seal Societies throughout Michigan, at their annual State Meeting, held at the Kalamazoo Portage Lodge #88.

The Loyal Order of the Moose will support the societies through various fundraising events planned for this spring, prior to the Easter Seal Telethon, which is scheduled for March 31 - April 1, 1984.

The Easter Seal Society is the oldest national voluntary health agency in the United States. Last year, over 122,000 handicapped individuals served by the societies through various Easter Seal centers. Programs provided by Easter Seals include information, referral and Follow-Up, Loan Equipment Closets, Advocacy, Recreational Activities, Stroke Clubs, Scoliosis Screening, Wheelchair Clinics, Direct Assistance, Camping, Swim Programs, Educational Programs, etc.

For more information on fundraising events planned to benefit the Easter Seal Societies in Michigan, contact your local Loyal Order of the Moose.

The Avalanche — Your Want Ad Paper

### Doodles From The Tall Timber

Wendell L. Hoover  
Park Interpreter

We lucked out last winter with little snow and it is probably early to say what this winter will bring even though some records have been broken. Some people claim that if the bands on a woolly-bear caterpillar are wide, a mild winter will follow while a narrow band indicates a severe winter to come. Others claim that when squirrels put up large hordes of nuts and seeds, it means a hard winter is coming. Early flights of geese headed south are another indication of a tough winter according to some. Still others claim that animals growing a thick pelt or heavier down or laying lots of fat predicts a colder winter. I wonder if it isn't caused by an abundance of food and good health? Old-time trappers used to claim that big muskrat and beaver houses meant a hard winter was in the offing. The height of wasp nests off the ground is said to indicate the depth of the snow: the higher the nest, the deeper the snow. When the woodpeckers make more holes at the bottom of trees than at the top is said to indicate there will not be much snow. How tall the Mulein grew during the summer was once used by our ancestors as a guide to the amount of firewood to cut. And how about the woodchuck and his shadow on February 27. All fun to consider, but don't trust them too far.

### Hospital News

Charles & Chris Decker of Grayling announce the birth of their daughter, Angela Mary, born December 16, 1983. She weighed 7 pounds 11 oz. and is 20" long.

Robert & Carolyn Reid are pleased to announce the birth of their son, Robert James, born December 19, 1983 at 3:43 a.m. He weighed 7 lbs. 8 ozs. and 20" long.

Randy & Luanne Bowers of Roscommon, are pleased to announce the birth of their son, Jeremy, on December 18, 1983 at 9:59 a.m. He weighed 7 lbs. 12 ozs. and is 20" long.

Steven & Michele Ross of Mio had a baby girl on December 22, 1983 at 1:21 p.m. and weighed 6 lbs. 1 oz. and is 19" long. Her name is Danielle Jennifer.

Richard & Jeanie Urbach of Roscommon announce the birth of Amber Lynn, December 22, 1983 at 10:53 p.m. Amber weighed 7 lbs. 13 ozs. and is 19½" long.

David & Candy Schreiber of Grayling announce the birth of their baby boy, Justin Alan, born December 22, 1983 at 9:54 a.m. He weighed 10 lbs. 3¼ ozs. and is 22¼" long.

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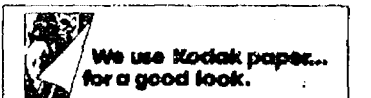
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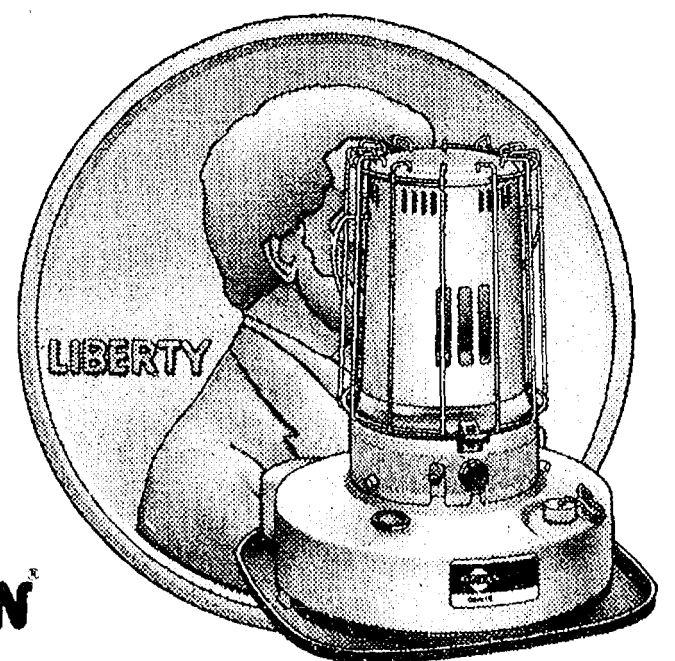


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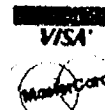
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**MERCY HOSPITAL CONTEST WINNER**—Dan Kinney, Pharmacist at Mercy Hospital in Grayling, is the winner of the first annual "Safety Contest" held at Mercy Hospital last month. His slogan, "Know Your Safety ABC's — Always Be Careful!" was selected from one of 20 entries as the slogan of the year for 1984. For his efforts, Dan was awarded an ABC fire extinguisher. He has been an employee of Mercy Hospital for three and one-half years. Shown above, Sister Mary Ellen Howard, Administrator of the hospital; Kinney; and Steve Doyle, Safety Coordinator.

## "The Matchmaker" Rehearsals Underway

The Grayling High School Players are presently in rehearsal for their upcoming winter comedy offering, "The Matchmaker," by

### Services Held For Emma Kemp, 73

Emma M. Kemp, 73, died December 26, 1983 in Detroit. Mrs. Kemp was born September 14, 1910 and has been a resident of Grayling since 1976, she is preceded in death by her husband Clarence.

Survivors are her son Richard of Detroit, and daughter Evelyn of Grayling, two sisters, ten grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Services were held at Our Lady of Grace Church in Dearborn Thursday, December 29, at 10:15 a.m. Burial was in Holy Sepulchral Cemetery.

Thornton Wilder.

"The Matchmaker" is the hilarious fable about a rich merchant from Yonkers, New York (played by junior Damon Thayer), who goes to New York City to seek a wife, only to become involved in a comic tornado masterminded by a matchmaker, Dolly Levi (portrayed by junior Brenda Praise).

Theatre critic Brooks Atkinson said in his review of the play for the New York Times: "There is no point in describing the plot. Nothing matters but the situations that are invented and the boldness with which Mr. Wilder exploits them... Put together like an insane ballet, 'The Matchmaker' is fast and boisterous."

The GHS production will be performed for the Grayling public on Friday and Saturday, February 10 and 11, at 8:00 p.m., in the Joseph Stripe Auditorium. Tickets will go on sale in late January.

## TU to Offer Winter Classes

The George W. Mason Chapter of Trout Unlimited will be offering rod building and fly tying classes this winter.

Ray Schmidt, who represents several fishing equipment manufacturers including Sage Rod, will present a slide program entitled, "How To Build a Rod", and will also put on a rod building demonstration. A Sage Graphite Rod Blank will be given away as a door prize. This meeting will be held at Skip's Sport Shop on Tuesday, January 17. There will be an additional meeting for those interested in building a new rod.

An eight week class for beginning and intermediate fly tyers will begin on Tuesday, January 24, at the Crawford-AuSable High School Library at 7:00 p.m. All materials and equipment will be furnished for the \$10.00 fee.

For more information about either of these classes call 348-5196 or 348-9284 in the evening.

## Completes Air Force Training



Airman Ralph A. Dandy, son of Robert and Loretta E. Dandy of 605 Rose St., Grayling, has completed Air Force basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas.

The airman, who is remaining at Lackland for specialized training in the security police field, studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special instruction in human relations.

Completion of this training earned the individual credits toward an associate degree in applied science through the Community College of the Air Force.

He is a 1979 graduate of Grayling High School.

## Senior Citizens Activities

Mon., Jan. 9 - 9-11:00 a.m. Cheese Certification Cards, 11:30 a.m.-Lunch, 1:00 p.m.-Discount Cards, 1:30 p.m.-"Skin and Nail Care" / Merle Norman, 3:00 p.m.-Choral Group, 5:00 p.m.-Dinner.

Tues., Jan. 10 - 10:00 a.m.-Exercise, 11:30 a.m.-Lunch, 1:00 p.m.-RSVP Council, 1:30 p.m.-Bowling, 4:15 p.m.-Housing Board Meeting, 5:00 p.m.-Dinner, 5:30 p.m.-Dancing.

Wed., Jan. 11 - 9:00 a.m.-Comm. on Aging Board Meeting, 11:30 a.m.-Lunch, 12:30 p.m.-Bingo, 1:30 p.m.-Stag Party, 4:30 p.m.-Cardo, 5:00 p.m.-Dinner, 5:30 p.m.-Rev. Barnett.

Thurs., Jan. 12 - 10:00 a.m.-Bible Study, 11:30 a.m.-Lunch, 12:30 p.m.-Blood Pressure, 12:30-3:30 p.m.-Vial of Life, 5:00 p.m.-Dinner, 5:30 p.m.-Egypt/Dr. Dorsch.

Fri., Jan. 13 - 9:00 a.m.-Oil Painting, 11:30 a.m.-South Branch Satellite, 12:00 Noon-Dinner.

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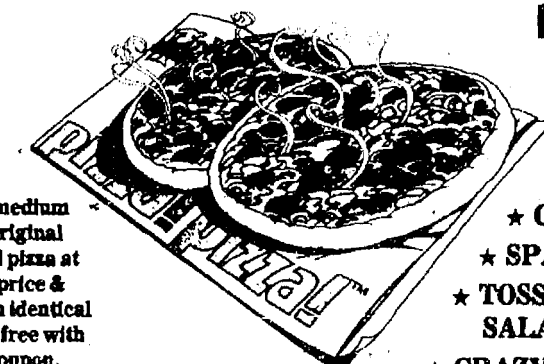
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And thank you to the CCAC members who contributed their time, talent, and efforts to make the Christmas Sale a Success. The support of local people and businesses in 1983 has enabled the Arts Council to accomplish many projects that promote the visual and performing arts for area residents of all ages.

*Thanks to You All and Have a Happy New Year.*

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**PRESENT PLAY**—A play, "The Three Spinning Fairies," was acted out by Mrs. McEvers' reading class. The story was from the level eight reader. The play took place in the classroom December 9, 1983. They play is about three ugly fairies who spin nine rooms full of flax into gold to help a girl please her Stepmother. Written by Charlotte Knight and Jeff Pahssen, 3rd grade.

## Chamber Chatter

By Joyce Kolka

Last year we complained about too little snow, but certainly this year there is no room to complain. There does come a point, however, where the white stuff must not fall in such great quantities. Too much or too little. It never seems to hit a happy medium.

Speaking of snow—the next big event of winter will be the Winter Carnival preceded by its Miss Grayling Pageant. A very important meeting of the Winter Carnival Committee will be held Monday evening, January 9, beginning at 7 p.m. at the Holiday Inn. Many outstanding events are on tap for the carnival this year and it is certain that the carnival committee will welcome all persons who attend the meeting and volunteer their services.

The Miss Grayling Pageant will be held on January 28 at the Grayling High School. It will be followed on February 2 by the Carnival kick-off dinner. The big carnival event will be held on February 4 and 5th.

Mrs. Norma Naour, director of the pageant is busy setting up the schedule for the girls and that event promises to be the usually fine presentation as in previous years.

Welcome to the new owners of the Sawmill, Ann Moss and Doug Stephan. A Ribbon Cutting was held for the grand opening on December 23rd. We wish them well.

Now that the holidays are over, the annual move toward removing ornaments, inventory and tax paying will take place. Unfortunately the latter must be taken care of by one and all. For those who cannot find the deductions we have only sympathy. For those who find plenty of them, all we ask is that you give us the name of your tax consultant.

### Your Week Ahead Horoscope

Forecast Period: 1/8-1/14/84

<b>ARIES</b> Mar. 21-Apr. 19	Gain through some insurance matter is a possibility. Don't let anyone con you into an outlandish proposition. Be alert.
<b>TAURUS</b> Apr. 20-May 20	A dynamic type tries to push and prod you into a close relationship. There are advantages to be gained. Weigh the pros and cons.
<b>GEMINI</b> May 21-June 20	Conflicts are apt to arise in your place of business. Stay clear of any situation which could be hazardous to your health.
<b>CANCER</b> June 21-July 22	You can be sweet-talked into some strange arrangements. Be ever-mindful of the consequences of a few stolen moments.
<b>LEO</b> July 23-Aug. 22	It's time for a home safety check, with special attention to electrical appliances and wiring. Eliminate the hazard.
<b>VIRGO</b> Aug. 23-Sept. 22	Your penchant for detail supplies the answers to a puzzling situation. Others are grateful for your help.
<b>LIBRA</b> Sept. 23-Oct. 22	A subtle change begins to manifest in your sense of values, and you feel a diminishing attachment to material possessions.
<b>SCORPIO</b> Oct. 23-Nov. 21	This should be a physically energetic and impulsive period for you. Count to ten before you rush in to things.
<b>SAGITTARIUS</b> Nov. 22-Dec. 21	An invitation to a rendezvous has some subtle undercurrents. Keep your eyes and ears open to an intriguing proposition.
<b>CAPRICORN</b> Dec. 22-Jan. 19	If you really want the top job you can have it, but you've got some hard work ahead of you. There is a price.
<b>AQUARIUS</b> Jan. 20-Feb. 18	A power struggle could be shaping up. How much does it mean to you to follow the path? There will be obstacles.
<b>PISCES</b> Feb. 19-Mar. 20	Travel and adventure beckon. Home by the hearth with some good mystery stories might answer the call.

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That night as the family sang together—Sam suddenly began to sing with us. The miracle had occurred. He was now one of the family.

You see, the Church had taught us that the love of God accepts us completely and unconditionally. We had learned that we could love and accept Sam in the same way. In becoming a part of God's family, we had discovered how to create a new family of our own.



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Psalm	Psalm	Ezekiel	Zachariah	Revelation	Revelation	Isaiah
2:1-11	89:19-37	34:1-10	14:1-21	19:11-21	20:1-6	7:10-25

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Sundays 9:30 & 11 a.m.

#### COMMUNITY CHURCH OF GOD

501 Mich. Ave. — Grayling  
Phone 348-8342

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.  
Potluck Fellowship Dinner 1st Sunday  
of month after service.

Prayer Service Wed., 7:30 p.m.

#### REORGANIZED CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS

Pastor, Wayne Horton  
Corner of North Down River Rd. and  
South Millikin Rd.

Sunday: Church School 10:00 a.m.  
Preaching 11:00 a.m.  
Midweek Service, Prayer 7:30 p.m.

#### GAYLORD CHRISTIAN REFORMED

Rev. V. Schoop  
415 Ohio North

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

#### ST. JOHN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN (LCA Synod)

Robert F. Haskel, Pastor  
710 Spruce St. — Ph. 348-8201

Church School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

#### CALVARY BAPTIST

Pastor Robert Barnett  
M-72 West

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

#### ST. FRANCIS EPISCOPAL

Vicar: The Rev. Donk Justin Roy  
M-72 West

Home: 348-2682 — Office: 348-5850  
Holy Eucharist 8:30 & 10:30  
Church School Adult & Children 10:30

#### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Pastor Robert Taylor — Frederic

Sunday: Church School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

Juniors, ages 7-12 6:30 p.m.  
Seniors, ages 13 & up 7:30 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer & Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

#### CHRIST MISSIONARY

Minister H.A. Hennig  
4 Mi. East of Frederic on Co. Rd. 612  
in Maple Forest Twp.

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship & Praise 11:00 a.m.

Winter 6:00 p.m.  
Summer 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Prayer, Bible Study & Praise  
Winter 6:00 p.m.  
Summer 7:00 p.m.

#### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

209 W. 1st St. — Gaylord, Michigan  
Church Services 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.  
Wed. Testimonials 8:00 p.m.  
Reading Room 11-4 Mon., Wed., Fri.

#### CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Home Mission Project  
Richard H. Wadsworth, Pastor  
801 Michigan Ave. — Grayling

Sunday Worship Service 10:45 a.m.  
Tuesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

#### SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST

Pastor, Gordon Stecker  
Phone 348-2342

Services held on Saturday at Camp AuSable  
Youth Camp, in the school building, the 1st  
building on the right off new entrance road.

Church Service 9:30 a.m.  
Sabbath School 10:30 a.m.  
Prayer Meeting Tuesday 7:00 p.m.  
All are welcome.

#### ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Rev. Donald Roberts  
911 Elm St. — Phone 348-7132

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

#### LOVELL'S CHAPEL

Rev. Harry Hilton  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Chapel Service 11:00 a.m.

#### JEROME'S WITNESSES

Mr. Donald P. Nardin  
Mr. Robert T. Kinn  
Phone 348-4981 — Kingdom Hall

Public Talk Sunday 10:00 a.m.  
Watch Study Sunday 11:00 a.m.  
Book Study Tuesday 8:00 p.m.  
Ministry School Thursday 7:30 p.m.  
Service Meeting Thursday 8:30 p.m.

#### MT. HOPE EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN

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Rev. Dale A. Bond, Pastor  
905 Old U.S. 27 North  
At the junction of M-93 & Old 27  
Grayling, Mich.

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Sunday School & Adult Bible Class 9:00 am  
Sun. Wor. June 20 thru Labor Day 8:00 am  
Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.

#### MICHELSON MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST

Minister: Jeffery D. Regen  
Education Ass't: Ann Morford

Worship Services 9 & 11:00 a.m.  
Church School 9:40 a.m.  
Youth Fellowship Sunday 6:30 p.m.  
Cherub & Youth Choir Thurs. 6:30 p.m.  
Senior Choir Thurs. 8:30 p.m.

#### FREE METHODIST

Larry Evey — Pastor  
6652 W. Kalkaska Rd.  
(M-72 West) — Phone 348-5362

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:00 p.m.

#### CHURCH OF CHRIST

Gordon French — Minister  
8724 Old US 27 — Phone 348-8573

Sunday: Church School 10:15 a.m.  
Communion & Preaching 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.  
Tues. Mid-week Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

Write or call for free Bible  
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Bear Lake Township  
Community Center, M-72

Services 10:30 a.m.

#### AUSABLE VALLEY CHURCH OF GOD

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Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.  
Potluck Fellowship 2nd Sunday  
each month after morning service.

#### THE CHURCH OF CHRIST

with the Elijah Message  
Pastor Don Weaver  
Kelly Avenue — Frederic

Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday School 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

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Tuesday Evening 7:00 p.m.  
Saturday Evening 7:00 p.m.  
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## Senior Citizens Special Program Series

For the month of January, our Monday programs will be for the Senior Citizen ladies of Crawford County.

This series is designed to help you "Change Colors as You Silver", and will be presented as follows:

Monday, January 9th: Skin and Nail Care.

Monday, Jan. 16th: New Colors and You.

Mon., Jan. 23rd: Line and Design.

Mon., Jan. 30th: Short, Silver and Smart.

Cindy Campbell of Merle Norman Cosmetics, Houghton Lake, will conduct the sessions on January 9th and 16th. Cindy does her job well and is bringing favors for those who attend.

On the 23rd, Mrs. Compton, former Home Economics teacher at Grayling High School, will be here from her home in Bear Lake. She is well known for her flair with fashion.

Our final session for January is to show all our silver haired ladies the latest in styles for Seniors. Denise Rutter of the new Image Makers Salon here in Grayling, will be our guest.

308 Lawndale is the place, 1:30 p.m. is the time and 348-9314 is the number to call for more information.

**New Computer**

Design of a radical new kind of "molecular computer," that may one day be able to assemble and reproduce itself, was explored at an international meeting held recently in Santa Monica.

In the chemical computer, the metal and silicon chips of present computers would be replaced by large molecules and proteins, probably genetically-engineered for the purpose.

## City Council Proceedings

Regular meeting of the City Council held December 27, 1983. Meeting called to order by Mayor Thompson at 7:30 p.m. Members present: Thompson, Sloan, Sabin.

Members absent: Latuszek\*, Golinick\*. Also in attendance: Jerry W. Morford, City Manager; Allen V. Schreiner, City Treasurer, Patricia Schreiner.

Motion by Sloan, supported by Thompson that the minutes of the meeting of December 12, 1983 be approved as presented. Ayes: 3, Nays: 0, Absent: 2, motion carried.

Citizens who wish to speak. There were no Citizens who wished to speak.

Communications were received and noted. From City Manager re: 1984 Council Meeting Schedule. From Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce re: Newsletter.

\*Mr. Golinick was now present.

From M.M.L. re: Legislative Bulletin.

From Michigan D.N.R. re: Treatment Works Grant Step I.

From Mich. D.N.R. re: Priority Listing on Sewer Work.

From Michigan Liquor Control Comm. re: Glen's Market Expansion.

From Grayling Housing Commission re: Meeting Minutes.

From Michigan Liquor Control Comm. re: Transfer of SDD License from 604 Norway (Milltown Pharmacy Store) to 122 Michigan Avenue (Mac's Drug Store).

Motion by Golinick, supported by Sabin that Council record its approval of the transfer of a SDD License from 604 Norway St. to 122 Michigan Avenue. Ayes: 4, Nays: 0, Absent: 1, motion carried.

**New Business**

The City Manager presented a request from COOR Intermediate School District for summer 1984 collection of 100% of their tax levy.

Motion by Golinick, supported by Sabin that the COOR Intermediate School District Board be informed that the City agrees to collect their property taxes in conjunction with city taxes to be levied on July 1, 1984. Ayes: 4, Nays: 0, Absent: 1, motion carried.

**Reports of Councilmen**

Mayor Thompson was excused from the meeting at this point.

Mr. Sloan asked about Cable TV rates. Mr. Morford will research the franchise to determine the need for Council action regarding increases.

Mr. Sloan asked about snow plowing on Lawndale Street by Housing Commission (piles obstructing vision at corners).

Mr. Sabin asked about Camp Lehman work crew availability for snow removal. Mr. Morford noted that we are using the crew now.

Mr. Golinick stated that he felt that the city crew had done a good job on the snow this weekend.

\*Ms. Latuszek was now present.

Reports of City Manager. Mr. Morford reported on the following:

Purchase of City Police Car.

Questions from last Council meeting re: Financial Statements.

Housing Commission appointment to replace Ms. Trudgeon. Dr. Hoffman has been contacted and stated that he was unable to accept the position and so declined the appointment.

Relocation of mail-box at post-office.

1984 Street Program. Mr. Morford noted that Bill Richards of Richards & Associates proposed the following change in the city's engineering contract for the 1984 street program. "We agree to extend the Agreement between the City of Grayling and Richards & Associates, Inc. for the City of Grayling's 1982 Street Paving Project to include the City of Grayling's 1984 Street Paving Project under the same terms except for the following changes:

Amend Section A.2.1 of Part II to read:

Professional I time at \$45.00 per hour

Professional II time at \$36.50 per hour

Technician I time at \$26.00 per hour

Technician II time at \$17.50 per hour"

Mr. Morford noted that the 1983 street contract for engineering had contained no increase in fees from the 1982 engineering contract and that 1984 proposal was for a 5% increase in extra hourly services only and did not change the 6.5% design fee used in 1982 and 1983.

Motion by Latuszek, supported by Golinick that the city enter into an agreement with Richards & Associates for engineering services with the proposed hours rate changes and that the Mayor and City Manager be authorized to sign the contract. Ayes: 4, Nays: 0, Absent: 1, motion carried.

Light between city hall and fire barn.

Illness of Police Officer.

Proposed addition to Cobble Creek Apartments.

Election of Jerry W. Morford to Board of Trustees of M.M.L. Municipal Pool.

Purchase of vacant lot in city.

Adjournment.

Motion by Golinick, supported by Sabin that the meeting be adjourned. Ayes: 4, Nays: 0, Absent: 1, motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 8:37 p.m.

Jerry W. Morford, City Manager & City Clerk

## Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
In The Circuit Court For  
The County of Crawford  
John C. McMillan and  
Helen McMillan, his wife,  
Plaintiffs

vs.  
Robert Stephenson and  
Bessie Stephenson,  
Defendants

File No. 83 6 713 CK

NOTICE OF SALE

PUBLIC NOTICE IS

HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Order of Sale entered by the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, State of Michigan on the 7th day of November, 1983 in favor of John C. McMillan and Helen McMillan, his wife, Plaintiffs and against Robert Stephenson and Bessie Stephenson, Defendants, I shall offer to sell to the highest bidder at the Crawford County Courthouse, Grayling, Michigan 49738 on January 11, 1984 at 10:00 a.m. the following described property, to wit:

Parcel C of a survey made by Norman F. Parker, registered surveyor Number 16939, of Grayling, Michigan on November 2, 1975 of part of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 22, T25N, R4W, Beaver Creek Township, Crawford County, Michigan and further described as:

The South 187 feet of the North 501 feet of the North 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 22, T25N, R4W, Beaver Creek Township, Crawford County, Michigan and containing 10.0 acres of land more or less, subject to all easements and restrictions of record.

Elizabeth H. Wieland  
Circuit Court Clerk

David R. Sabin, P.C.  
Attorney for Plaintiff  
709 Michigan Avenue  
Grayling, Michigan 49738  
(517) 348-5588

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11 Crawford Co. Avalanche

Thurs., Jan. 5, 1984

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 Jan. 9 — Snowmobile Council Meeting - Holiday Inn - 7 p.m.  
 Jan. 11 — Career Day Seminar - High School  
 Jan. 12 — Chamber Board of Directors Meeting - Noon  
 Jan. 25 — Red Cross Blood Bank - American Legion Hall - 12-6 p.m.  
 Jan. 28 — Miss Grayling Pageant

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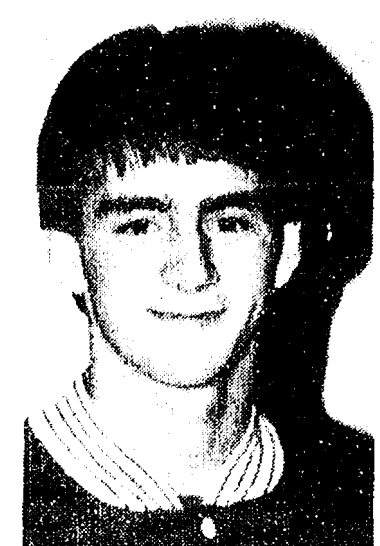
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## Wyman, Cross Crowned Wrestling Champions



Barsie Cross



Ron Wyman

### John Morrill Dies In West Branch

John G. Morrill, passed away Monday, January 2, 1984 at West Branch Tolfree Memorial Hospital. Funeral services are being held Wednesday January 4, 1984 at St. Joseph Catholic Church in West Branch at 10:00 a.m.

A full obituary will appear in next weeks Avalanche.

### Bowling Notice

There will be a Men's bowling association meeting to discuss tournament rules, Jan. 8, 1984, at 1:00 p.m. at the Legion Hall. Please attend.

R. Montgomery Association Sec'y

Barsie Cross won titles at two invitationals and Ron Wyman earned a title at one tournament in GHS wrestling action before the holiday break. Head coach Don Ferguson also said Wyman was outstanding in a tournament Dec. 26 where he placed second competing against wrestlers from 13 class A schools and the two top class C schools.

Cross and Wyman were both named champions at a St. Ignace Invitational Dec. 17. Cross pinned his opponent in the finals and Wyman used a last second takedown to pull out a 5-4 decision against Rich Frazier, the quarterback from the class D champion football team. Cross won at the 167-pound weight class and Wyman won at 145 pounds.

Lacey Stephan took a second place at the St. Ignace tournament at 112 pounds and Tim Moore took second at 119 pounds.

Cross also won at a Ludington tournament Dec. 10 with a pin and two decisions for the 167-pound title. Lacey Stephan took second at Ludington, Wyman took third, and Moore took a third.

In a dual match against St. Ignace there Dec. 8 Grayling was defeated 51-13 forfeiting at five out of thirteen weight classes. Grayling won four of the eight matches. Stephan earned a 6-5 decision, Moore won 4-2, Wyman defeated his opponent 1-0, and Cross won easily 12-3.

In the holiday tournament Dec. 26, Wyman came out strong defeating Floyd

Phillips, of Flint Northern, 18-0. He beat Dan Devris, of Mana Shores, 7-4, before falling to Jim Ertman, of Wayne Memorial, 4-3 in the finals. All of his opponents were from class A schools. Wyman's record for the year is 12-2.

Grayling returns to the mats Thursday, Jan. 5, with a home meet against Petoskey and Roscommon.

### Bowling Leagues

**PIONEER LEAGUE**

1. Millikin Const. .... 4
2. Northern Nat. Bank .... 3
3. Cornell Agency .... 3
4. Dawsons .... 2
5. Main Street Florals .... 2
6. Terry & Daves 76 .... 1
7. Avalanche .... 1
8. Skips Sport Shop .... 0

High Game: Barb Grant 194 and 222, Nita Millikin 203, Jean Arwood 220.  
 High Series: Fran Barclay 563, Barb Grant 555, Jean Arwood 553.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE 1st div.**

**END OF FIRST HALF**

1. Southern Pride .... 36
2. Schan's Plumbing .... 30
3. Mac's Drugs .... 24
4. Glen's Market .... 21
5. Team No. 2 .... 20
6. 7-Eleven .... 20
7. Legion Post 106 .... 17
8. Legion Lanes .... 11

High Series: T. Ockerman 609, T. Schaus 598, L. Davis 585.  
 High Game: T. Grant 233, T. Ockerman 225, R. Case 209.

**MEN'S TRIANGLE LEAGUE**

1. Milltown Party Store .... 20%
2. Kerry's Taxidermy .... 20%
3. Davis Jewelers .... 19%
4. Jack the Tinner .... 15%
5. 7-Eleven .... 15%
6. Parsons Advertising .... 13
7. Glens Market .... 12
8. D & J Electronics .... 11%

High Series: D. Johnson 581, D. LaMotte 552, K. Moore and J. Golinick 535.  
 High Game: K. Korhonen 242, D. LaMotte 224, D. Johnson 218.

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1. Parson's Advertising .... 38%
2. Spike's Keg O Nails .... 35%
3. Callahan's .... 33
4. Weyerhaeuser .... 32
5. P&D, D&M, D&B Tires, Inc. .... 29
6. Little Caesars .... 25%
7. Terri's Vinyl .... 24
8. Ghost Team .... 23%

High Game: B. DeHart 197, D. Callahan 196, T. Kibbe 194.  
 High Series: B. DeHart 514, C. McNary 513, T. Kibbe 491.

**NORTHWOOD LEAGUE**

1. Fred's Auto Body .... 11
2. Comfort Center .... 9
3. Legion Rollers .... 7%
4. Milltown Traders .... 6
5. Laurines .... 5
6. D.J. Electronics .... 4
7. Bubbles Belles .... 3
8. Helsel's Firewood .... 2%

High Game: J. Yoder 197, J. Hultgren 196, J. Hatfield 193.  
 High Series: J. Hinds 509, J. Yoder 499, J. Hultgren 478.

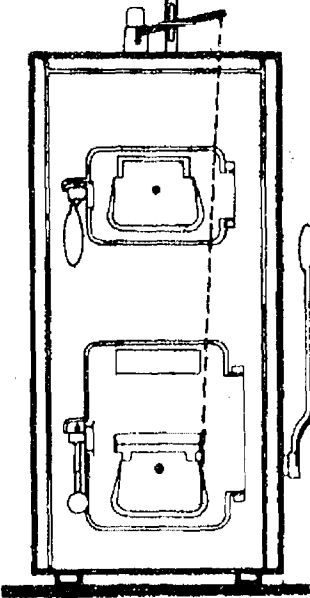
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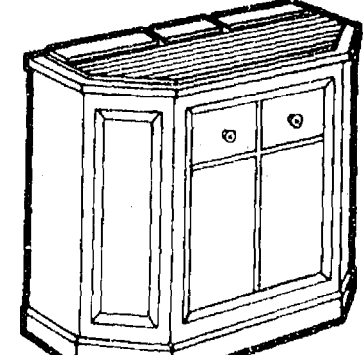


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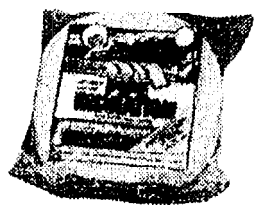
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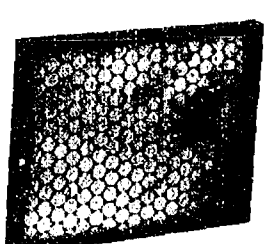
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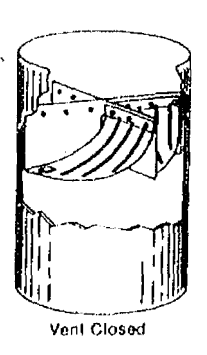
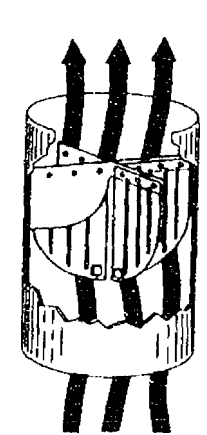
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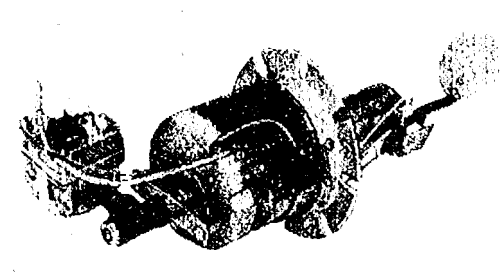
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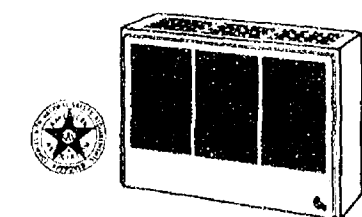
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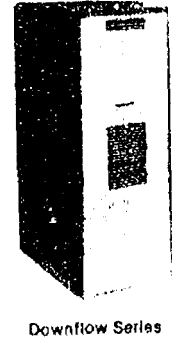
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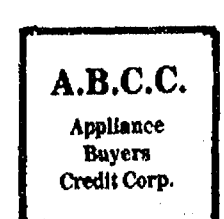
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